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EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Mr. Chid S. Iyer on May 21, 2010.

The application has been amended as follows:

As for claim 1, lines 5, the phrase, " a teaching jig mounted on the placement portion of the robot in place of the object during a teaching operation and having an image pickup member, the teaching jig having a positioning mechanism with respect to the placement portion" has been replaced with the phrase

-- a teaching jig mounted on the placement portion of the robot in place of the object during a teaching operation and having an image pickup member, the teaching jig having a positioning mechanism with respect to the placement portion; wherein the positioning mechanism in the carrier robot system further comprising a hole, a pin, or a letter pattern --.

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As for claim 2, lines 5, the phrase, " shifting the robot to a position where the image pickup member can detect a characteristic part existing in the vicinity of the predetermined placement portion" has been replaced with the phrase